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1. REF PARA 1) REFTEL PA&E INFORMANTS ARE INCORRECT IN STATING THAT ALL INVOICES THROUGH JANUARY 15 HAVE BEEN PAID; THEY ARE, HOWEVER, CORRECT IN STATING THAT AS OF FEBRUARY 15, ICCS ACCOUNT WAS CURRENT IN TERMS OF 30-DAY DELINQUENCY PROVISION OF OLD CONTRACT, OWING TO DELAYS IN SUBMISSION OF INVOICES. ICCS NOW PROCESSING ONE MORE PA&E VOUCHER FOR \$155,000.

2. ALSO REF PARA 1, WHILE ICCS DOES OWE AIR AMERICA WELL OVER ONE MILLION DOLLARS, DEPARTMENT IS INCORRECT IN ASSUMING AIR AMERICA PAYMENTS ARE ABOUT TO BE CAUGHT UP. PARTICULARLY AFTER PAYING PA&E BILLS, ICCS WILL NOT HAVE ENOUGH FUNDS LEFT TO DO SO. ICCS HAS GIVEN PRIORITY TO PA&E, EVIDENTLY BECAUSE A) ICCS ASSUMES PA&E RELATIVELY LESS AMENDABLE TO USG PRESSURE TO RELAX ON DEMANDS FOR REPAYMENT, AND B) PA&E HAS PENALTY CLAUSE IN ITS CONTRACT. PENALTY CLAUSE IS NOT CONTAINED IN AIR AMERICA CONTRACT, BUT LATTER IS NOW SEEKING TO HAVE IT INCLUDED IN EXTENSION OF ITS CURRENT CONTRACT, WHICH EXPIRES FEBRUARY 28.

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